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The Lute with the Broken String.

I took the lute I had prized so much
In my day of pride, in my day of power,
And wiped the dust with a tender touch,
And wreathed it gaily with ribbon and flower.

And the tears from my heart were falling fast
For the bloom that had faded, the fragrance fled,
As I thought of the hand that had wreathed it last—
The hand of my darling now cold and dead:

And I put it aside with a passionate fling,
And something was broken—a heart or a string.

And again I essayed, when the tears had dried
And the tumult of sobs in my bosom was still,
To touch it once more with the olden pride,
That the hearts that yet love me might hear it and thrill:

But a soft low note with its melting power,
A tone of deep pathos, had trembled and gone;
And my hopes died out in that silent hour,
And left me in darkness and sorrow alone.

What wonder, beloved, that I cannot sing
A song of the heart with a broken string?

What worth is the lute when its music hath fled?
What worth is the strain when its alto is lost?
What worth is the heart with its tenderness shed,
And all its warm feelings laid waste by the frost?

But love cannot die. There is comfort in this,
That Love is eternal, though passion controls.
And what, then, is heaven, with its glory and bliss,
But the union of hearts and communion of souls—

When saints shall be minstrels, and angels shall sing,
And lutes shall have never a broken string?

—*Catholic World for November.*

ADIPOSE TRIUMPHANT.

A TALE OF ENGLISH MAIL COACH DAYS.

An English gentleman of true John Bull proportions—weighing some eighteen or twenty stone—had occasion to travel in summer by stage-coach from Oxford to London. The stage carried six inside; and our hero engaged two places (as, in consideration of his size he usually did,) for himself. The other four seats were taken by Oxford students.

These youths, being lighter than our modern Lambert, reached the stage before he did, and each snugly possessed himself of a corner seat, leaving a center seat on each side vacant. The round, good-tempered face of John Bull soon after appeared at the carriage door, and, peering in at the vehicle and observing the local arrangements, its owner said, with a smile, "You see I am of a pretty comfortable size, gentlemen; so I have taken two seats. It will greatly oblige me if one of you will kindly move into the opposite seat, so that I may be able to enter."

"My good sir," said a pert young law-student, "possession is nine-tenths of the law. You engaged two seats. There they are, one on each side. We engaged one each, came first, entered regularly into possession, and our titles to the seats we occupy are indisputable."

"I do not dispute your titles," said the other, "but I trust to your politeness, seeing how the case stands, to enable me to pursue my journey."

"Oh hang politeness," said a hopeful young scion of some noble house, "I have a horror of a middle seat, and would not take one to oblige my grandmother; it's ungraceful as well as uncomfortable; and, besides, one has no chance of looking at the pretty girls along the road. Good old gentleman, arrange your concerns as you please; I stick to my corner." And he leaned back, yawned, and settled himself with hopeless composure in his place.

Our corpulent friend, though a man not easily discomposed, was somewhat put out by this unmannerly obstinacy. He turned to a smart looking youth with a simper on his face—a clerical student who had hitherto sat in a revery, possibly thinking over his chances of a rich benefice in the future. "Will you accommodate me?" he asked, "this is the last stage that starts for London to-day, and business of urgent importance calls me to town."

"Some temporal affair, no doubt," said the graceful youth, with mock gravity; "some speculation with filthy lucre for its object. Good father, at your age your thoughts should turn heavenward, instead of being confined to the dull, heavy tabernacle of clay that chains us to earth." And his companions roared with laughter at the "d—d clever joke."

A glow of indignation just colored the stranger's cheek; but he mastered his feelings in a moment, and said with much composure, to the fourth, "Are you also determined that I shall lose my place; or will you oblige me by taking a center seat?"

"Ay, do, Tom," said his lordship to the person addressed; "he's something in the way of your profession; quite a physiological curiosity. You ought to accommodate him."

"May I be poisoned if I do!" replied the student of medicine. "In a dissecting room he'd make an excellent subject; but in a coach, and this warm weather, too! Old gentleman, if you will put yourself under my care, I'll engage in the course of six weeks, by a judicious course of depletives, to save you hereafter the expense of a double seat. But, really, to take a middle seat in the month of July is contrary to all the rules of hygiene, and a practice to which I have a professional objection.

And the laugh was renewed at the old gentleman's expense.

By this time the patience of coachee, who had been listening to the latter part of the dialogue, was exhausted. "Harkee, gemmen," said he, "settle the business as you like; but it wants just three-quarters of a minute of twelve, and with the first stroke of the university clock my horses must be off. I would not wait three seconds longer for the king, God bless him. 'Twould be as much as my place is worth." And with that he mounted his box, took up the reins, bid the hostler shut the door, and sat with upraised whip, listening for the expected stroke.

As it sounded from the venerable belfry, the horses, as if they recognized the signal, shot off at a full gallop with the four young rogues, to whom their own rudeness and our fat friend's dilemma afforded a prolific theme for merriment during the whole stage.

Meanwhile the subject of their mirth hired a postchaise, followed, and overtook them at the second change of horses, where the passengers got out ten minutes for lunch. As the postchaise drove up to the inn door, two young chimney-sweeps passed with their bags and brooms and their well-known cry.

"Come hither, my lads," said the corpulent gentleman, "what say you to a ride?"

The whites of their eyes enlarged into still more striking contrast with the dark shades of the sooty cheeks. "Will you have a ride, my boys, in the stage-coach?"

"Ees, zur," said the elder, scarcely daring to trust the evidence of his ears.

"Well, then, hostler, open the stage door. In with you! And, d'yo hear? be sure to take the middle seats; so, one on each side."

The guard's horn sounded, and coachee's voice was heard: "Only one minute and a half more, gen'lemen; come on!"

They came, bowed laughingly to our friend of the corporation, and passed on to the coach. The young lord was the first to put his foot on the steps. "Why, how now, coachee? What confounded joke is this? Get out, you rascals, or I'll teach you how to play gentlemen such a trick again."

"Sit still, my lads; you are entitled to your places. My lord, the two middle seats, through your action and that of your young friends, are mine, they were regularly taken and duly paid for. I choose that two proteges of mine shall occupy them. An English stage coach is free to every one who behaves quietly, and I am answerable for their good conduct; and so mind and behave, boys! Your lordship has a horror of a middle seat, pray take the corner one."

"Overreached us, by Jove!" said the law student. "We give up the cause, and cry you mercy, Mr. Bull?"

"Blythe is my name."

"We cry quits, worthy Mr. Blythe."

"You forget that possession is nine-tenths of the law, my good sir, and that the title of these lads to their seats is indisputable; I have installed them as my *locum tenentes*, if that be good law Latin. It would be highly unjust to dislodge the poor youths, and I cannot permit it. You have your corner."

"Heaven preserve us!" exclaimed the medical student.

"You are surely not afraid of a black coat," retorted the other. "Besides we ought not to suffer our thoughts to dwell on petty earthly concerns, but to turn them heavenward."

"I'd rather go through my examination a second time than to sit by these dirty devils," groaned the medical student.

"Soot is perfectly wholesome, my young friend; and you will not be compelled to violate a single hygienic rule. The corner you selected is vacant. Pray get in."

At these words coachee, who had stood grinning behind, actually cheated into forgetfulness of time by the excellence of the joke, came forward. "Gentlemen, you have lost me a minute and a quarter, already. I must drive on without ye, if so be ye don't like your company."

The students cast rueful glances at each other, and then crept warily into their respective corners. As the hostler shut the door he found it impossible to control his features. "I'll give you something to change your cheer, you grinning rascal!" said the disciple of Æsculapius, stretching out of the window; but the hostler nimbly evaded the blow.

"My white pantaloons!" cried the lord.

"My beautiful drab surtout!" exclaimed the the lawyer expectant, "the filthy rascals!"

The noise of the carriage wheels and the unrestrained laughter of the spectators drowned the sequel of their lamentations.

At the next stage a bargain was struck. The sweeps were liberated and dismissed with a gratuity; the seats shaken and brushed; the worthy sons of the university made up among themselves the expenses of the post-chaise; the young doctor violated for once the rules of hygiene by taking a middle seat, and all journeyed on together without further quarrel or grumble, except from coachee, who declared that "to be kept over time a minute and a quarter at one stage, and only three seconds less than three minutes at the next was enough to try the patience of a saint, that it was!"—[Nov. Atlantic Mag.

Pommelling Washington.

George Washington preserved such uniform dignity that his most intimate friends dared not take any liberties with him. But a lady tells the following story from her own knowledge:

In the heated canvass which followed Jefferson's nomination for the Presidency, General Washington's personal intimate friend, Light-horse Harry Lee, was opposed for Congress by Colonel —— Peyton. So great was the interest felt by Washington for Lee, that on election day he mounted his horse and rode up from Mount Vernon to Alexandria for the purpose of influencing by his presence as many votes as possible for his friend.

Among the many acquaintances he encountered was a plasterer who had been employed at Mount Vernon. This plasterer was a small man, dofective, no doubt, in reverence, and it may well be believed, somewhat the worse for liquor, early in the day as it was.

Having saluted the Pater Patriæ, the little man proceeded to upbraid him for his known friendship for Gen. Lee—a man who, in his opinion (the plasterer's), was not only a Federalist, but an aristocrat to boot; whereas Col. Peyton was a Democrat, a friend of the people, and especially of the poor laboring classes.

Nettled by the disparagement of his personal friend, Washington replied that the plasterer's preference was the result more of general ignorance on all subjects than of any correct knowledge, either of the character of the respective candidates or of the issues involved in the canvass. The allusion to his want of education was more than the intoxicated little man could stand. To the astonishment of the witnesses, he ripped out an oath and said:

"Well, I don't care if I am ignorant; I know my rights, anyhow. You fought for our liberties, and won 'em, and hang me if I don't intend to exercise 'em."

Whereupon he delivered a number of dry blows upon the chest of the august chieftain. The bystanders made a rush to tear him in pieces, but Washington, placing his hand on the small man's shoulder, drew him close to him and said:

"He shall not be harmed. I have wounded him in the tenderest part of his nature. He is not to blame for his ignorance, and it is but natural that he should resent an allusion to it." So the plasterer went scot free.

A BIG BLOW—*A New Orleans Youth Blows up a Lung-Tester.*—The New Orleans *Herald* says: A few evenings ago, while the chief engineer of a lungtester was expatiating upon the benefits to be derived from the free use of his instrument, a cadaverous individual stepped out of the crowd and remarked to him:

"Mister, do you think it would help me any to blow into that can?"

"Yes, sir; certainly; it would expand your chest, give elasticity to your lungs, and lengthen your life. Why, you'd soon be able to blow five hundred pounds and win the five dollar prize."

"Why, does a feller get five dollars when he blows that many pounds?"

"Yes, sir; wouldn't you like to make a trial?" with a knowing wink to the crowd.

"I don't care if I do," said Greens, walking around and planking down a dime of the greasy shinplaster sort.

Then taking the mouth-piece in his hand he made ready. He opened his mouth until the hole in his face looked like a dry dock for ocean steamers, and began to take in wind. The inflation was like that of the great balloon, but not so disastrous. The fellow's chest began to grow and distend until he resembled a pouter pigeon more than a man, at which point he put the mouth-piece to his lips and blew with such force that his eyes came out and stood around on his cheek bones to see what was the matter—but that can-top went up like a flash, and the needle of the indicator spun around like the button on a country school-house door, until it stood still at 500 pounds! The crowd cheered, and the keeper of the can paid over the $5 dollars in stamps, with a mutter of astonishment. But Greens pocketed them coolly, and turning to the spectators, said:

"Look here, gents, that ain't nothing to do at all for a man who has been a bugler in a deaf and dumb asylum for several years, like me."

A HARTFORD bricklayer let fall a brick from a fourth story upon the shoulder of a man passing beneath. The man paused for a moment, and then with a voice trembling with emotion, shouted: "Hi! you dropped a brick." The bricklayer, who was looking over the edge of the scaffold to see if the brick was damaged, was pleased to find that it was not hurt, and cheerfully answered, "All right, you needn't mind bringing it up."

Rise Up, William Allen.

Ho! all ye "rural roosters,"
Now is your time to crow;
For Allen's elected Gov-
Erner of O-h-i-o!

The Democratic party's dead,
As all of you do know;
But a very nimble corpse it proved
To be in O-h-i-o!

And where's the People's party, pray,
Of Halstead, Hyde & Co.?
That was going to play the devil
With things in O-h-i-o!

The new concern has gone to wreck—
They found it was no go;
And there's nary a new depart-
Ureist in O-h-i-o!

So all ye "rural roosters,"
Now is your time to crow;
There's nobody left but Dem-
Ocrats in O-h-i-o!

—*St. Louis Democrat.*

PARALLEL STORIES.

In the year 1400, Ginevra de Amiera, a Florentine beauty, married, under parental pressure, a man who had failed to win her heart, that she had given to Antonia Roudinelli. Soon afterward the plague broke out in Florence; Ginevra fell ill, apparently succumbed to the malady, and, being pronounced dead, was the same day consigned to the family tomb. Some one, however, had blundered in the matter, for in the middle of the night the entombed bride woke out of her trance, and badly as her living relatives had behaved, found her dead ones still less to her liking, and lost no time in quitting the silent company upon whose quietude she had unwittingly intruded. Speeding through the sleep-wrapped streets as swiftly as her clinging cerements allowed. Ginevra sought the home from which she had so lately been borne. Roused from his slumbers by a knocking at the door, the disconsolate widower of a day cautiously opened an upper window, and, seeing a shrouded figure waiting below, in whose upturned face he recognized the lineaments of the dear departed, he cried, "Go in peace, blessed spirit," and shut the window precipitately. With sinking heart and slackened step, the repulsed wife made her way to her father's door, to receive the like benison from her dismayed parent. Then she crawled on to an uncle's, where the door was indeed opened, but only to be slammed in her face by the frightened man, who, in his hurry, forgot even to bless his ghostly caller. The cool night air penetrating the undress of the hapless wanderer, made her tremble and shiver, and she thought she had waked to life only to die again in the cruel streets. "Ah!" she sighed, "Antonia would not have proved so unkind." This thought naturally suggested that it was her duty to test his love and courage; it would be time enough to die if he proved like the rest. The way was long, but hope renerved her limbs, and soon Ginevra was knocking timidly at Rodinelli's door. He opened it himself, and, although startled by the ghastly vision, calmly inquired what the spirit wanted with him. Throwing her shroud away from her face, Ginevra exclaimed: "I am no spirit, Antonio; I am that Ginevra you once loved, who was buried yesterday—buried alive!" and fell senseless into the welcoming arms of her astonished, delighted lover, whose cries for help soon brought down his sympathizing family to hear the wondrous story, and bear its heroine to bed, to be tenderly tended until she had recovered from the shock and was as beautiful as ever again. Then came the difficulty. Was Ginevra to return to the man who had buried her, and shut his door against her, or give herself to the man who had saved her from a second death? With such powerful special pleaders as love and gratitude on his side, of course Rodinelli won the day, and a private marriage made the lovers amends for previous disappointment. They, however, had no intention of keeping in hiding, but the very first Sunday after they became man and wife, appeared in public together at the cathedral, to the confusion and wonder of Ginevra's friends. An explanation ensued, which satisfied everybody except the lady's first husband, who insisted that nothing but her dying in genuine earnest could dissolve the original matrimonial bond. The case was referred to the bishop, who, having no precedent to curb his decision, rose superior to technicalities, and declared that the first husband had forfeited all right to Ginevra, and must pay over to Rondinelli the dowry he had received with her—a decree which we may be sure all true lovers in fair Florence heartily rejoiced at.

This Italian romance of real life has its counterpart in a French *cause celebre*, but the Gallic version unfortunately lacks names and dates; it differs, too, in matters of detail. Instead of the lady being a supposed victim of a plague, which in the older story secured her a hasty interment, she was supposed to have died of grief at being wedded against her inclinations; instead of coming to life of her own accord, and seeking her lover as a last resource, the French heroine was taken out of her grave by her lover, who suspected she was not really dead, and resuscitated by his exertions, fled with him to England. After living happily together there for ten years, the strangely-united couple ventured to visit Paris, where the first husband, accidentally meeting the lady, was struck by her resemblance to his dead wife, found out her abode, and finally claimed her as his own. When the case came for trial the second husband did not dispute the fact of identity, but pleaded that his rival had renounced all claim to the lady by ordering her to be buried, without first making sure that she was dead, and that she would have been dead and rotting in the grave if he had not rescued her. The court was saved the trouble of deciding the knotty point, for, seeing that it was likely to pronounce against them, the fond pair quietly slipped out of France, and found refuge in "a foreign clime, where their bliss continued sacred and entire till death conveyed them to those happy regions where love knows no end, and is confined with no limits."

Of dead-alive ladies brought to consciousness by sacrilegious robbers, covetous of the rings upon their cold fingers, no less than seven stories, differing but slightly from each other, have been preserved. In one the scene is laid in Halifax; in another, in Gloucestershire; in a third, in Somersetshire; in the fourth, in Drogheda; the remaining three being appropriated as many towns in Germany.

Ring stories have a a knack of running in one groove. Herodotus tells us how Amasis advised Polycrates, as a chance against misfortune, to throw away some gem he especially valued; how, taking the advice, Polycrates went seaward in a boat and cast his favorite ring into the ocean, and how, a few days afterward, a fisherman caught a large fish, so extraordinary that he thought it fit only for the royal table, and accordingly presented it to the fortunate monarch, who ordered it to be dressed for supper; and lo! when the fish was opened, the surprised cook's astonished eye beheld his master's castaway ring. So much to that master's delight, but his adviser's dismay; for when Amasis heard the wonderful event, he immediately dispatched a herald to break his contract of friendship with Polycrates, feeling confident the latter would come to an ill end "as he prospered in everything, ever finding what he had thrown away."

The city of Glasgow owes the ring-salmon ring in its armorial bearings to a legend concerning its patron, St. Kentigern, thus told into the "*Acta Sanctorum*": "A queen, having formed an improper attachment to a handsome soldier, put on his finger a precious ring which her own lord had conferred on him. The king, made aware of the fact, but dissembling his anger, took an opportunity in hunting, while the soldier lay asleep beside the Clyde, to snatch off the ring and throw it into the river. Then returning home along with the soldier, he demanded of the queen the ring he had given her. She sent secretly to the soldier for the ring which could not be restored. In great terror she then dispatched a messenger to ask the assistance of the holy Kentigern, who knew of the affair before being informed of it, went to the river Clyde, and having caught a salmon, took from its stomach the missing ring, which he gave to the queen. She joyfully went with it to the king, who, thinking he had wronged her, swore he would be revenged upon his accusers; but she, affecting a forgiving spirit, besought him to pardon them, as she had done. At the same time she confessed her error to Kentigern, and solemnly vowed to be more careful of her conduct in the future.

In 1559, a merchant and alderman of Newcastle, named Anderson, handling his ring as he leaned over the bridge, dropped it in the Tyne. Some time after, his servant bought a salmon in the market, whose stomach the lost ring was found in. Its value enhanced by the strange recovery, the ring became an heirloom, and was in the possession of one of the alderman's descendants some forty years ago.

A similar incident, ending in a similar way, is recorded to have happened to one of the Dukes of Lorraine.—[Chamber's Journal.

MARK TWAIN ON THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.—Mr. Twain writes as follows to the editor of the London Standard:

SIR: In view of the prevailing frenzy concerning the Sandwich Islands, and the inflamed desire of the public to acquire information concerning them, I have thought it well to tarry yet another week in England, and deliver a lecture upon this absorbing subject. And lest it be thought unbecoming in me, a stranger, to come to the public rescue at such a time, instead of leaving to abler hands a matter of so much moment, I desire to explain that I do it with the best of motives and the most honorable intentions. I do it because I am convinced that no one can allay the wholesome excitement as effectually as I can; and to allay it, and allay it as quickly as possible, is surely the one thing that is absolutely necessary at this juncture. I feel and know that I am equal to the task for I can allay any kind of an excitement by lecturing upon it. I have saved many communities in this way. I have always been able to paralyze the public interest in any topic that I chose to take hold of and elucidate with all my strength.

Hoping that this explanation will show that if I am seeming to intrude I am at least doing it from a high impulse, I am sir, your obedient servant.

MARK TWAIN.

London, October 7.

A CINCINNATI man has invented an umbrella which shoots the man who attempts to steal it.

THE CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

EBENSBURG, PA.,

Friday Morning, - October 31, 1873.

ALLEN'S official majority for Governor of Ohio is 808. This, together with a Democratic majority in both branches of the Legislature, is a victory in which not only the Buckeye Democrats but the Democracy of the whole country may feel a just pride.

THE Constitutional Convention passed a resolution on Monday last for a final adjournment at 2 o'clock to-day. Before the Convention would adjourn it would provide for the submission of the amendments to a vote of the people, which will no doubt be taken about the middle of December.

WE regret to learn that Ex-Governor Bigler was prostrated by an attack of vertigo, in the Constitutional Convention, last Friday. At latest accounts he was rapidly recovering. The attack was no doubt caused by overwork, for since Gov. Bigler took his seat in the Convention he has faithfully and dilligently performed all his duties. As a practical and laborious member of the Convention he is not surpassed by any man in that body.

IF it be true, as asserted in a letter from Fort Klamath, to the San Francisco *Chronicle*, that after the execution of the four Modoc warriors for the murder of General Canby, the heads of Captain Jack and Schonchin were severed from their bodies and placed in alchohol for transmission to the Medical Museum in Washington, it is a reproach to the nation and the foulest blot on the history of the Modoc war. Even-handed justice demanded that they should expiate their crimes with their lives, but to mutilate their dead bodies is the most shameful barbarism and an insult to our boasted civilization. What good purpose could be subserved by such an unchristian act we are at a loss to imagine. We are inclined, however, to regard the whole statement as purely sensational, and yet it is of so remarkable a character as only to be removed by an authorized denial.

ON next Tuesday, elections will take place in the following States: In New York for State officers, with the exception of Governor, and for members of the Legislature. In Massachusetts, Virginia, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Mississippi for Governor and Legislature. In New Jersey, Maryland, Illinois and Kansas for members of the Legislature. We regard it as reasonably certain that the Democrats will be successful in New York, Virginia and Maryland, with the chances in their favor in New Jersey. This opinion is based upon the most reliable newspaper information at our command; and yet no one need be told of the glorious uncertainty attending the prediction of the result of a State election. Some curiosity exists in political circles to learn what strength the farmer's party, as it is called, will develop in Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota. It is said to be quite formidable in Kansas. These elections will afford a pretty fair index of public sentiment in regard to Grant's administration and the acts of the last session of a Radical Congress. We will be able in our next number to lay before our readers the substantial result in each of the States.

THE Washington *Chronicle* denies the statement published some time ago that Matthew H. Carpenter, Radical Senator from Wisconsin, will be deposed as President *pro tem* of the Senate. The disgraceful exploits of this leading representative of the "God and morality" party at Long Branch and elsewhere, last summer, are no doubt fresh in the recollection of our readers. Carpenter will not be called upon to act as presiding officer of the Senate unless Vice President Wilson is unable to be present—an event which is by no means improbable. If Mr. Wilson is present at the meeting of the Senate, of course he will act in his official capacity, and Carpenter's services will be dispensed with. But if, after the Senate is organized, the Vice President should from any cause be unable to preside, will the Radical Senators have the nerve to refuse to reinstate Carpenter in the position to which they elevated him at the close of the last session? As the Senate is now constituted we think they will not. Carpenter promised to purge himself of the scandalous charge preferred against him, but as yet he has made no sign, nor has he, as he boldly threatened, ever instituted a prosecution for libel against the New York *Tribune* which first ventilated his marital delinquencies. The shape that this matter may eventually assume will be watched with keen interest throughout the country.

Allen and Morton.

When the Democratic party of Ohio nominated William Allen as its candidate for Governor, the Radical State Committee, anticipating an aggressive canvass on his part, determined to avail itself of the campaign services of Oliver P. Morton, of Indiana, in order, as was supposed, to place the result of the contest beyond all doubt. Morton is regarded as the ablest Radical debater in the Senate of the United States, and hence his presence in Ohio was thought to be the certain harbinger of a decisive Radical triumph. The Indiana oracle was therefore invited to come to Ohio and open the campaign, which he did. When we consider that William Allen had been a Senator from his State for twelve years, and occupied a front rank in a deliberative body that was dignified and honored by such men as Webster, Clay, Calhoun, Buchanan and Cass—that his character, both personal and official, was pure and beyond reproach, and that he was a high toned gentleman—it was expected that, however energetic Morton's attacks might be against his life-long political views and convictions, he would at least treat him with that personal courtesy to which his high character entitled him. But this was not the Radical programme, and Morton, from the very commencement of the fight, acted the part of the political demagogue and rowdy. He seemed to think that Allen, who in personal character is far his superior, could be driven from the hustings by low ridicule and personal abuse, and to these two modes of attack he brought all his energy and power. But Morton made a grievous mistake, for of all the leaders of the Radical party he is perhaps the most vulnerable. All his speeches to the people abounded in the coarsest and most undignified attacks on Allen. Neither his age nor his spotless reputation protected him. He was a Democrat, pure and simple, and that alone was enough to bring down upon his devoted head a torrent of abuse from the foul tongue of the palsied Morton.

The following elegant(?)extract from one of his addresses will serve as an index to the whole of them:

"You have two candidates for Governor; one of them has been hibernated for about twenty-four years. (Laughter.) They say he has been reflecting profoundly, and studying the child's first book of history on representative government. He has proposed an amendment to our Constitution, which I have described to you. You know his position during the war. In proposing to become Governor of Ohio he has never said a word about the State. In his speech he does not even mention the fact that he is a candidate, *and no one can tell from his speech whether or not he is a candidate for Governor of Ohio or King of the Cannibal Islands, and he has as much chance for one as he has for the other.*" (Laughter and cheers.)

By continually indulging in this kind of personal taunt and bravado, is it any wonder that Allen cast aside his dignity and placed this Billingsgate Senator before the people of Ohio in his true and unenviable light? In one of his speeches he felt himself constrained to speak of his persistent traducer in the following strong but well merited terms:

"This very man Morton, when he was brought before the people, had not the power to stand on his feet. (Laughter.) The committee helped him up (ironical cheers), and when they got him up they had to set him in an arm chair, and he had to fumble and hunt up an old manuscript that he had concocted in the deep darkness of some midnight, and read it there, and call it a speech. (Laughter.) Do I look like a man? (Loud applause, drowning the speaker's voice completely.) Am I paralyzed from my hips down? There are two kinds of influences which wear away human life. One is the silent, constant wear and tear of time, that takes the man beyond "that bourne from whence no traveler returns," which disorganizes all organized things, and resolves matter back into its pristine condition. There is another kind of influence that brings on age and decrepitude. There is a vicious early life. There is a personal debauchery. There is moral and physical decrepitude which is brought on in individuals, and paralyzes them from the hips down. And yet this man comes and talks about my want of manly vigor."

The contest is over and all the vulgar assaults of Morton fell harmless at William Allen's feet. Who would not now be Allen, honored with the support and confidence of the people of Ohio, rather than Oliver P. Morton, whom they have spewed out of their mouth. William Allen can well afford to look down upon his vulgar assailant with the most supreme scorn and contempt.

AN important amendment to the constitution of New York will be submitted to the people of that State for their decision at the election which takes place next Tuesday. For many years the judges of the various courts in that State, as in Pennsylvania, have been elected by the people. Under an act of the Legislature at its last session, the Governor appointed a commission, composed of prominent men of both political parties, to prepare such amendments to the present constitution as they might deem wise and expedient. A number of amendments were approved by the commission, one of which provides for abolishing the present mode of electing the judiciary by popular suffrage and reinstating the old system of appointment by the Governor and confirmation by the Senate. The question of an elective judiciary has its warm advocates as well as its bitter opponents in every State in which it prevails. In this State, in which it has been in force for twenty-two years, it has worked well, and popular judgment has sanctioned it. Mistakes have doubtless been made and in a few instances incompetent men have been elevated to the bench, but such would have been the case with the appointing power in the hands of the Executive. An unfit judge is more likely to be deposed through the ballot-box than by impeaching him before a partisan Senate. That some notable instances of corruption have disgraced the judiciary of the city of New York is only too true, but we cannot believe that the people of that State will on that account surrender their long established right of selecting their own judges by their own votes. The result of the verdict of the people of the most populous State in the Union on a question of such magnitude will be full of significance and will attract general attention.

The State Election--Official Vote.

Below will be found the official returns for Supreme Judge and State Treasurer:

COUNTIES.	SUPREME JUDGE.		STATE TREASUR'R.	
	LUDLOW, D.	GORDON, R.	HUTCHINSON, D.	MACKEY, R.
Adams	2467	2148	2488	2148
Allegheny	8669	12237	8591	12012
Armstrong	2809	2135	2817	3088
Beaver	2167	2722	2189	2536
Bedford	1950	1954	1982	1922
Berks	7997	3889	7980	3872
Blair	2575	3114	2394	3065
Bradford	2844	4758	3032	4657
Bucks	6169	3888	6227	5804
Butler	2134	2582	2158	2541
Cambria	3222	2734	3268	2657
Cameron	378	461	397	448
Carbon	1935	2036	1926	1997
Centre	2920	2532	2949	2557
Chester	5646	4946	5619	4786
Clarion	2550	1806	2609	1773
Clearfield	2538	1746	2599	1697
Clinton	1995	1465	2016	1458
Columbia	2588	1115	2584	1103
Crawford	3691	4145	3808	4023
Cumberland	3949	3252	3978	3156
Dauphin	3466	5104	3323	5219
Delaware	2112	3298	1975	3396
Elk	1266	465	1218	447
Erie	2709	3887	2899	3652
Fayette	3363	3002	3348	2994
Forest	189	298	199	287
Franklin	3094	3207	3112	3153
Fulton	905	615	914	614
Greene	2512	1283	2450	1295
Huntingdon	2212	2941	2234	2909
Indiana	1048	2656	1064	2616
Jefferson	1567	2019	1661	1996
Juniata	1450	1127	1460	1180
Lancaster	4757	8368	4889	7933
Lawrence	1233	2427	1301	2323
Lebanon	2315	3511	2429	3377
Lehigh	4066	3674	4661	3624
Luzerne	8615	7428	8617	7178
Lycoming	3583	3171	3590	3173
McKean	549	674	594	620
Mercer	3950	3851	3154	3731
Mifflin	1637	1502	1638	1564
Montgomery	7156	6807	7066	6860
Monroe	1907	420	1900	407
Montour	1320	821	1316	850
Northampton	4013	2200	2034	2181
Northumberl'd	3421	3307	3434	3273
Perry	2213	2096	2246	2053
Philadelphia	42732	51657	34266	59577
Pike	488	134	497	128
Potter	626	823	645	823
Schuylkill	7911	6684	7817	6708
Snyder	1157	1764	1155	1744
Somerset	1151	2333	1134	2315
Sullivan	723	408	734	393
Susquehanna	1742	2707	1745	2486
Tioga	1374	3544	1419	3517
Union	1023	1822	1145	1672
Venango	2224	2420	2259	2367
Warren	1657	1828	1682	1785
Washington	4013	4193	4070	4063
Wayne	1061	1601	1989	1594
Westmoreland	4712	3875	4757	3830
York	1457	1151	1450	1130
Total	5236	3742	5149	3716
	225941	240235	219471	244823
		225941		219471
Majorities		14294		25352

A Sad Picture.

The effects of the panic are telling with fearful consequences in New York, occasioned to some extent by many who have been thrown out of employment elsewhere, going to that city in search of something to do. From carefully preparing estimates furnished by the *World* it appears that out of 10,000 machinists in that city 2,000 are already out of employment, and of 4,000 bricklayers 400 have been discharged. This ratio of discharging prevails in almost all branches of business in that city, although it should be mentioned that those engaged in the manufacture of luxuries, such as piano, carriage and billiard-table making, etc., suffer the most, many of whom had their wages cut down one-half. At many of the stores where twenty clerks are ordinarily employed only fifteen remain, scores of whom are working for $10 per week; then come the shop girls, who have likewise had to submit to a reduction of wages and frequently to being discharged. It is estimated that there will soon be from 40,000 to 50,000 persons dependent upon the charities of that city, which it will be impossible for the benevolent societies to provide for. The *World* says:

Forty thousand dollars in cash and $25,000 worth of coal, the amount of donations to the out-door poor last year, would go but a short way indeed with 40,000 or 50,000 paupers. The private benevolent societies appear to be doing as well as they can, but their ability is always limited. For instance, the Foundling Asylum is full and running over. A policeman has been kept in front of the house in Washington place day and night to prevent people from leaving more infants there. Even then some of the desperate mothers have been able to put down their infants while the back of the policeman was turned, knowing that the kind sisters would not allow the unfortunate babe to perish.

Every effort will be required to be put forth by both authorities and private citizens during the coming ordeal, not only to prevent suffering and starvation, but to save the city from being put at the mercy of an army of men, women, and children driven to desperation by the pangs of hunger, cold and general want.

Have We a Constitution?

Ex-President Johnson in response to a serenade made a speech from the balcony of the Metropolitan Hotel in Washington on Thursday evening In the course of it he said he would ask, what kind of a government have we now? (Applause, and cries of "Tell us!") We used to have some idea that there was a constitution—(laughter)—and a constitutional government, as I argued when I first made my appearance as a member of Congress. The inquiry formerly was as to the powers conferred upon the Government. It was thought long ago there was a limitation to power, both as to the several States and the general government, under that instrument. Such was the view of Washington, the Father of his Country, who was first in peace, and first in war, and who sacrificed his ease and received no pay for his services; and so thought Jefferson and those great men who framed the constitution. When he first came to Congress there were two great parties—the whig and the democratic. He wished to-day the country was under their control. He feared the people would never again have two such parties. The difference between them was merely this: The democrats contend for strict construction, while the whigs claimed a little more latitude. While these parties were thus opposed they both agreed in the essential principle that there was a constitution. But how was it now or within the last four or six years? When a measure was brought up in Congress and its constitutionality was questioned the reply would be in effect, "Damn the constitution; we've got the numbers." (Laughter.) And while he was here as a friend of the constitution, battling and contending for its existence, the constitution was taken from the archives, torn to pieces and trampled under foot. The query came up. What kind of a government have we? The consequences of the war had fearfully effaced and wiped out the limitations and restrictions of the constitution. The people, therefore, required to be indoctrinated in the principles in which the constitution was established. If the constitution is wiped out and Congress is without restraint where are we? Having a government controlled by a body of men without limitation as to power, no constitution to restrain them, but acting according to their own will and interest, we have the most odious despotism ever permitted to be established. Rather than accept such a body of men calling themselves Congress, or Parliament, or Courts, with unlimited power, give him a wise and just prince in preference. If the other departments were made subordinate and gave the assent the whole thing had better be wiped out. (Applause.) If all power was to be centred in one man, let him be a just and good man, who it would be a pride to call master.

It had been said "Why Johnson, you are insane on the constitution; the whole thing is played out. The liberties of the people are gone." If this be insanity he wished to God there was more insanity in the country. (Laughter.) He wished the whole country would become insane on constitutional liberty. They should be aroused to it. If the people could see as their fathers saw, things would be different. He then spoke of the increase of plunderers, the people being taxed to subserve the interests of particular classes. This injustice applied to both the federal government and those of the States. He wished it were possible to have an amphitheatre constructed to seat all the people of the country, so that when the curtain was drawn they could see what was going on. There would then be such a reaction as was never felt or heard of before. But it might be said this was all talk; we can carry the elections. How carry them? While heavy taxes were being laid on the people the ballot-box was corrupted and degraded, controlled by money in the hands of those who are not the people's friends. A great deal has been said about Cæsarism. He never was a partisan in politics or a fanatic in religion. The world was his home and every honest man his brother. In the language of Burke, the eminent British statesman, when bad men combine for corrupt purposes the time has come when good men should combine to resist encroachments on constitution and country. Let, then, the good, honest and pure associate in a common cause to resist all the encroachments on constitutional liberty. He knew there were societies called grangers, but beyond this he did not care, if they would only take under their control the State and National governments and administer them for the interests of the people. To this he would say, amen! so be it. Mr. Johnson then branched off on the subject of finance, advocating gold and silver as the constitutional currency and the withdrawal of all the national bank notes and issuing for them greenbacks to be received in payment of all government dues. He maintained that by this means we could return to specie payments. The idea that there was not gold and silver enough for this purpose was an absurdity. But what was now the matter?

It used to be that banks suspended because they had not the coin to pay, but at present the banks suspend because they are deficient of paper money. Banks, brokers and corporations could all suspend, and there was no way to reach them. There was one portion of the people that did not suspend—namely, the taxpayers—the producers of the country. The speculators could suspend with millions. There were two things certain—death and the payment of taxes. (Laughter.)

The time had come when war should be made on monopolies. The scrambling was for money, land and the Treasury. As a general thing the people did not seem to be alarmed about a third Presidential term, and by apathy many a nation has lost its liberty. This government was nearer being absolute than any of his listeners were aware of, and this would be the result unless the people were aroused to their danger, unless they extract the bane this government will go the way that other republics have gone. He was always willing to trust the people, believing their decision is right.

Our State Legislature.

The following is a complete official list of the members of the next Legislature of Pennsylvania:

SENATE.

Philadelphia—James B. Alexander, R.; E. W. Davis, R.; John Lamon, R.; A. K. M'Clure, Liberal Rep.
Chester and Delaware—Thomas V. Cooper, R.
Montgomery—Wm. Yeakle, R.
Bucks and Northampton — Herman Yerkes, D.
Berks—Daniel Ermentrout, D.
Lancaster—John B. Warfel, R.
Schuylkill—Oliver P. Bechtel, D.
Lehigh and Carbon—Edwin Albright, D.
Dauphin and Lebanon—Jacob G. Heilman, R.
Luzerne, Monroe and Pike—Francis D. Collins, D.; George. H. Rowland, D.
Bradford, &c.—Lafayette Fitch, R.
Columbia, &c.—Thomas Chalfant, D.
Cameron, &c.—Butler B. Strang, R.
Snyder, &c.—Andrew H. Dill, D.
Clearfield, &c.—Wm. A. Wallace, D.
Cumberland, &c.—Jas. M. Weakly, R.
Adams and York—Wm. M'Sherry, D.
Bedford, Blair, &c.—John A. Lemon, R.
Centre, Juniata, &c.—Joseph S. Waream, D.
Allegheny—James L. Graham, R.; Miles S. Humphreys, R.; Geo. H. Anderson, R.
Indiana, &c.—Harry White, R.
Fayette and Green—W. H. Playford, D.
Beaver, &c.—James S. Rutan, R.
Clarion, &c.—David Maclay, R.
Lawrence, &c.—Samuel M'Kinley, R.
Crawford—George K. Anderson, R.
Erie and Warren—George H. Cutler, D.

Republicans, 20; Democrats, 12; Liberal Republican, 1. Republican majority, 7.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Adams—William S. Hildebraud, D.
Allegheny—H. H. M'Cormick, R.; S. J. Wainwright, R.; J. C. Newmyer, R.; A. B. Young, R.; A. C. Hays, R.; B. C. Christy, R.; Henry Gerwig, R.
Armstrong—Robert Thompson, R.
Beaver, Butler and Washington—S. J. Cross, R.; J. Allison, R.; A. L. Campbell, R.; David M'Kee, R.
Bedford and Fulton—J. M. Reynolds, D.
Berks—Michael M'Collough, D.; Benj. E. Dry, D.; Dr. A. Smith, D.
Blair—S. R. M'Cune, R.
Bradford—E. B. Myer, R.; James H. Webb, R.
Bucks—G. E. Hageman, D.; J. M. Jamison, D.
Cambria—Samuel Henry, R.
Cameron, Elk and Jefferson—D. P. Baird, D.
Carbon and Monroe—E. C. Dimmick, D.
Centre—John H. Orvis, D.
Chester—E. W. Bailey, R.; Peter G. Carey, R.
Clarion and Forest—M. Williams, D.
Clearfield—Dr. J. W. Potter, Independent Democrat.
Clinton, Lycoming and Sullivan—Richard Bedford, D.; H. W. Petriken, D.
Columbia—Charles B. Brockway, D.
Crawford—M. W. Oliver, R.; Frederick Bates, R.
Cumberland—Wm. B. Butler, D.
Dauphin and Perry—J. E. Allen, R.; A. Fortenbaugh, R.; John H. Shelbly, R.
Delaware—Wm. Cooper Talley, D.
Erie—E. A. Wilcox, R.; Henry Butterfield, R.
Fayette—Jasper M. Thompson, R.
Franklin—George W. Welsh, D.
Greene—T. H. Laidley, D.
Huntingdon—W. K. Burchinell, R.
Indiana—Daniel Ramey, R.
Juniata and Mifflin—H. P. Taylor, D.
Lancaster—H. A. Mylin, R.; H. H. Tehudy, R.; J. L. Shuman, R.
Lawrence—E. S. N. Morgan, R.
Lebanon—W. M. Kauffman, R.
Lehigh—Robert Steckel, D.; James Kimmel, D.
Luzerne—Dr. B. H. Throop, R., Michael Crogan, D.; Thomas Waddell, R.; T. W. Loftus, D.
Mercer—James A. Stranahan, D.
Montgomery—Thomas G. Butler, D.; Joseph B. Yerkes, D.
Northampton—R. C. Pyle, D.; G. M. Stier, D.
Northumberland and Montour—A. T. DeWitt, D.; Jesse Ammerman, D.
Philadelphia—G. Handy Smith, R.; I. E. Kennedy, D.; Samuel Josephs, Ind. D.; Harry O'Neill, R.; James A. O'Brien, R.; Charles A. Porter, R.; John McCullough, R.; John E. Reyburn, R.; Wm. A. Vogdes, R.; Albert Crawford, D.; Washington M. Worral, R.; Joseph R. Ash, R.; John N. Wood, R.; Wm J. Roney, R.; Robert Gillispie R.; J. Wm. Jones, R.; Chas. B. Salter, R.; James Newell, R.
Pike and Wayne—W. H. Dimmick, D.
Potter and McKean—Chas. S. Jones, R.
Schuylkill—Thomas Egan, D.; Fred L. Foster, D.; John W. Morgan, R.
Snyder and Union—Charles S. Wolfe, R.
Somerset—J. R. M'Mullin, R.
Susquehanna and Wyoming—H. M. Jones, R.; Robert R. Little, D.
Tioga—John I. Mitchell, R.
Venango—R. D. M'Creary, R.
Warren—George W. Allen, R.
Westmoreland—H. B. Piper, D.; J. L. Toner, D.
York—George W. Heiges, D.; D. M. Loucks, D.

Republicans, 58; Democrats, 40; Independent Democrats, 2. Republican majority 16.

IRELAND is determined to be heard, whatever may be the result of her persistency. This time she proposes to speak in the very citadel of English supremacy on her soil. The cable tells us that a grand mass meeting will be held in the city of Dublin on the 23d of next month, in behalf of the amnesty for Fenian prisoners. Representatives from all parts of the island and from the United States will be present, and it is believed that a million of people will be assembled within the precincts of Dublin. The projectors of this great gathering have secured the services of five hundred bands to provide the music. The number of distinguished speakers on the mammoth occasion is not stated. A demonstration like that proposed, if conducted within the bounds of earnest appeal unmixed with violence, cannot fail to be effective in the cause that is dearest to every Irish heart.

—Nelson E. Wade, the murderer of Mr. and Mrs. McBride, near Williamsport, on the 22d of July last, is now chained to the floor, as he succeeded in breaking all the handcuffs the jailor could put upon him. He will be executed on the 6th of November.

News and Political Items.

—A Pottstown man scrapes his face with a razor 101 years old.

—Music is choked out of a piano in Schuylkill county, which is a century old.

—Four dogs in West Bradford township, Chester county, killed sixty-four sheep in three nights.

—There is a vineyard in Alsace twp., one mile from Reading, containing sixteen tons of Clinton grapes.

—Judge Hanna, of Lock Haven, died a few days ago aged eighty-nine years. He was the father of fifteen children.

—Jno. C. Heenan, the prize fighter, died on Saturday morning, near Rawlins, U. P. R. R., while on his way to San Francisco, of consumption.

—Two children of R. W. Corwine, living near Carbondale, Ill., fell into a tub of boiling water on Wednesday evening. One died and the other cannot recover.

—Rats attacked a little child of Stephen McCormick, of Butler, a few days ago, during the absence of its parents, and stripped the flesh from one of its hands.

—The Scranton *Times* of Saturday mentions a peculiar throat disease in Luzerne county, which has proved fatal to upwards of 60 children within the space of a fortnight.

—Prof. Lay went up in a balloon at San Francisco on Saturday together with a justice of the peace and a woman. The latter and the professor were made one above the clouds.

—D. J. Lear was convicted at Cumberland, Maryland, on Friday last, of rape on the little girl Mary Bacon. The penalty of the crime in Maryland is death or imprisonment for twenty years.

—The citizens of Lebanon have determined to assist one another in meeting the financial crisis by putting money in the banks rather than drawing it out. They will also exercise a generous forbearance towards all debtors.

—At Titusville, on Saturday morning, a young man named Newton accidentally shot his sister, a girl of seventeen, through the forehead, causing instant death. The weapon was a shotgun, which he was not aware was loaded.

—Another Southern city appeals for aid, stricken not by fever but by storm. Apalachicola, Florida, has lost $250,000 by the tornado, and is unable to replace one-tenth part of it. Half the business portion of the town is in ruins.

—George Wolf, a wealthy farmer, residing three miles from Hopkinsville, Ky., was assassinated in his bed last Wednesday night. Mr. Wolf was fifty-three years old, and had recently married a young wife, with whom he lived unhappily.

—The Brady's Bend iron works, of Brady's Bend, Armstrong county, which gave employment to 600 men and which works comprise four blast furnaces, coal banks, etc., have succumbed to the financial pressure and have ceased operations.

—Since the 13th of June last, two thousand four hundred and seventeen miles of new railway postal service has been put in operation, making the total of sixty-five thousand six hundred and eighty-six miles of such service in the United States.

—Hannah Mitchell, a Welsh girl, died from exposure at Mt. Carbon, Schuylkill county, on Thursday. As she had led an abandoned life no cemetery had been found on Saturday in which she was permitted to be buried. Humanity, thou art a jewel.

—Horatio Seymour, who was nominated by the Democrats of Oneida county, New York, for the Legislature, has declined to be a candidate. Mr. Seymour seems to have cast away any intention of future political preferment, and accepts the quiet of his Utica residence rather than the turmoil of Albany.

—Geo. Yocum, Esq., aged 36, of the law firm of Bush & Yocum, Bellefonte, accidentally shot himself while hunting near Three Springs, Clearfield county, on Monday last. After being shot he walked and rode in a wagon to Sinamahoning, about twelve miles, from whence he was taken to Lock Haven, where he died on Tuesday morning.

—A dispatch from Forest, Canada, says a man, woman and child, with tickets from Chicago to Brockville, got off the train there on Friday, alleging that there were parties on board who wanted to kill them. They then went to a hotel, and later in the day the three jumped into a deep pool of water. The man and child were drowned, but the woman was saved.

—At a meeting of the iron manufacturers of Sharon, held recently, it was decided to pay their employes in notes, payable four months from the date of pay day, bearing interest, some at six, and others at eight per cent. Owing to the scarcity of currency, this action was deemed necessary, and it is reported that the measure gives satisfaction to all concerned.

—Parricide is regarded as a serious misdemeanor in Massachusetts. One Eldridge Wixon, of West Harwick, in that State, has been found guilty of manslaughter, in killing his father, and sentenced to "seven years in the State prison, one day of which to be solitary confinement." After such a severe punishment it is confidently believed that he will never kill his father again.

—Two little girls named Levan were drowned at Girardville, on Monday night. They were in a carriage returning from a funeral, with their parents, when owing to the darkness the carriage was precipitated over the edge of the road into the roaring, swollen creek. The parents saved themselves with great difficulty, but the little ones were drowned. Mrs. Levan had an infant in her arms which was saved.

—Last spring a family named Shaw of Washington county, N. Y., were taken suddenly ill, and poison was suspected. The mother and several of the children died, and one of the latter, who recovered, is almost an idiot. The evidence was strong against the husband and father, and he was arrested. His trial ended on Thursday with a verdict of murder in the first degree, and he is to be hanged Nov. 28th.

—The jury in the Kelsey case have returned a verdict that the remains found in Oyster Bay were those of Charles G. Kelsey, and that he came to his death at the hands of persons unknown. But several persons whose names have been mentioned in connection with his case are declared accessories to the murder. Great excitement attended the announcement of the verdict, and several of the implicated parties have fled.

—John McLaughlin, aged 30, was murdered on Wednesday last while driving a team on the public road in Cascade township Lycoming county. He was found lying in the mud, with his breast and throat horribly mangled by a shot gun wound. His cousin, James McLaughlin, started out from his house that morning with a gun, and as he is missing, it is supposed he did the deed. There had been ill-feeling between them for some time. This is the fourth murder that has been committed in that county inside of six months.

—The Ovid *Independent* in its issue for this week says: "Probably the most venerable couple ever married in Seneca county were united in the silken bonds on Wednesday last in our village. We refer to Judge James DeMott and Rachel Covert, widow of the late Dr. Covert. The groom is in his eighty-eighth year, and the bride is nearly seventy-seven. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Goodwin. This is Judge DeMott's third wife, while he is the fifth husband of the lady to whom he is now united, she being the mother of two children, seven grand-children, and five great-grand-children.

—It is clearly demonstrated that R. ...inson polled more votes in the ... side of Philadelphia than Mr. Mackey ... we believe more in Philadelphia ... been a fair vote and an honest ... result makes it quite plain that ... "persistent villification" and "... slander" showered upon the ... date had some effect, or that ... outside the metropolis preferred ... M. Hutchinson.

—A picture of Memphis is given ... extract from a private letter ... gentleman in Cincinnati, as follows: "About twelve hundred have been made ... hundred children have been made ... and many more will be before the ... lence is over. God pity them. ... fected districts I have found them ... sad and desolate upon the streets ... inquiry, learned that both ... gone to the grave, and they had ... from the place of death."

—The Clarion *Democrat* says a brutal and fiendish act was perpetrated in Elk township, Clarion county, on Saturday night. Thomas K. Kahl and two ... parties arrested a few days ago for ... licious mischief, stealing ... They were fined by the justice, and ... time made some threats. On Friday ... ing Mr. Kahl found one of his ... valuable young animal, with the ... cut out, and so brutally was the ... that the horse had to be killed.

—Hans Robinson is the name of a shoemaker who personated the ... preacher in Jersey Shore, and ... pastor of a church. He got along ... mingly till the other day, when he ... identified as a fellow who had ... from his wife and family residing ... Jefferson county, a couple of years ... Having married a couple of ... found it convenient to leave ... for parts unknown. He ... in Bolivar, Westmoreland county.

—A despatch from Central ... intelligence of frightful scenes ... upon the evacuation of the city ... Khanate by the Russian troops ... Kauffman. The Yomuds ... plundered the town, after which ... troyed it. In addition to these ... the Usbeks slaughtered sixteen ... the Prussians who were ... slavery. The Khan sent to ... man asking assistance to ... store order, but it is not known ... swer was made to the application.

—The ravages of the yellow ... Memphis were very graphically ... by a Memphis gentleman, ... at a meeting held in St. ... ways and means of relief for the ... city. Out of a population of ... thousand, but ten thousand ... and of these one thousand are ... are to-day in Memphis two thousand ... ows and orphans dependent upon ... and even if the fever should ... immediately, still these ... be assisted with money, food ... clothing this winter.

—We have not seen a single ... of the absurd proposition, ... by President Grant, to the ... State should erect mansions ... ton for their Senators and ... The attempt of the President ... the public mind for this step, ... nicating to a newspaper ... intention to recommend the ... next message, has only ... ridicule and opposition. ... We shall wait to see ... sists in his effort to help the ... Ring of Washington ...

—Mr. Lloyd L. Clark, ... of the Cumberland ... twice in succession ... John M. Resley, on ... and died about ... from the effects of ... ing was instigated by an article ... pared in the *Times*, reflecting ... on the father of the murderer, ... of the Circuit Court of Allegany ... Young Resley gave himself up ... in jail. The deed is looked upon ... blooded murder, and no doubt ... will pay the full penalty of his ...

—The detectives are still ... hunting additional evidence in the ... lein murder case at Pittsburg. ... claimed that the bloody hatchet ... found in the room was taken ... burger's by Lizzie Schaeffer ... preceding the murder. As the case ... the evidence does not point ... towards any party, but the ... general, and the circumstances ... warrant that the Schaeffer's ... about it than is consistent with ... Lizzie's confession cannot be used ... as it does not appear to have been ... voluntarily. Detective Messrs. ... fies, while Lizzie herself denies ... edge of having made a confession.

—On Wednesday of last week ... named Benj. Jewett brought ... a James M. Campbell for libel in ... burgh Criminal Court. They ... members of the Brotherhood of ... tive Engineers, a secret ... object of which is the ... of railroad engineers. Jewett ... charged from the order for ... perance, and Campbell, who was ... tary of the Lodge in question, ... fication of the charge to the ... charge of the locomotive ... the Fort Wayne Railroad. ... was brought by Jewett, and ... sion of the trial Judge Sterrett ... jury that no man in such a case is ... to obey the orders of a superior ... the injury of others, and under ... struction the jury returned a ... guilty. The case attracted the ... terest amongst the brotherhood ... members of other secret ...

A MEMPHIS FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE.—The Memphis journals ... that that fever-stricken city is ... ously mourning the death of a ... stranger girl, whose sympathy ... and entire devotion to their ... the memories of Florence ... among the sick and wounded ... the Crimea, while rendering ... ingly sorrowful the thought ... Florence, the stranger fell a victim ... disease she sought to rescue ... Mattie Stephenson, it appears, ... Towanda, Ill., to Memphis to ... self to the care of the ... so without pecuniary reward and ... even fitting change of clothing for ... until, falling a victim to the ... died, leaving no one in Memphis ... where she came from or ... whom she might be dear were ... On the day of her death a package ... for her containing a few articles ... for herself and many articles ... the relief of those for whom she ... This led to her identification, and ... the funeral services were held over ... mains the knowledge of her ... votion to those suffering who were ... ers to her made the occasion one ... lar interest.

The Memphis *Appeal* says: ... raise, and we will raise a white ... commemorate her heroism, ... hearts, from now henceforth, ... with every one of us next to ... and nearest on earth. Let the ... raised, and let it be the highest ... the most conspicuous in our ... of the dead, and let the name ... phenson,' be graven deep and ... where it will remain to defy the ... of time and tell how she laid down ... for the poor of Memphis."

E CAMBRIA FREEMAN.

Ebensburg, Pa.,

RIDAY, - - - OCT. 31, 1873.

OCAL AND PERSONAL.

y, There, and the Other Place.

Hallowe'en to-night.

look out for the boys in the cabbage

If you don't want your doors banged ght, take them in out of the cold.

last year the first snow fell on the 16th of November, and this year on the 7th mber.

trained bear enlivened the dull mo- of our town for a short time on Sat- evening last.

s. Frank Specht, of Shade township, ser county, was thrown from his horse, day last week, and had his skull frac- d. It is feared that he cannot recover.

wo peddlers were arrested in Hunting- last Friday on the charge of being en- in the sale of goods procured in a New store whose proprietor had taken the pt law.

r friend and subscriber, Mr. Aaron nty, of White township, the renown- ainer of the Alleghenies, shot and 4 pound deer in Clearfield county day last.

was mighty hard up for locals, but enough off to wish for the shooting of the boys who will be in the door- ng business to-night. Too long till as you know.

new time table, only slightly varied hedule now in force, is to go into on the Pa. R. R. on Sunday next. hange, if any, it will make on our s read we have not learned.

e Mountain House Company, at Cres- are erecting an extensive dam between ir grounds and the Callen House, purpose of securing ice for the use el during the ensuing season.

Hollidaysburg *Register* was thirty- years old last week, and yet it is not ir average as it is *Over* editor. May e be over a hundred, and may Over ver it for fully half that time.

ph Davis, son of Rev. Jas. Davis, rville, was found dead in his bed on afternoon last. The young man pect to its, which may have had ng to do with his sudden death.

hundred men have been thrown employment by the suspension, on last, of Rogers & Burchfield's roll- at Apollo, Armstrong county. The is thought to be only temporary.

rk shooting was all the go among the s in this vicinity on Friday and Sat- last. About forty of the feathered were shot in the first day's sport the several mill-dams near town.

ty-four car loads of coal, aggrega- 20 bushels, were shipped by the oal Company from Irvin Station day of last week—the largest ver made from that place in one

ohnstown, Blair county, boy named rtwright fell from the second floor new building, about eighteen feet, day week, and was injured very about the head and legs. He will

ssor Light made his fourth balloon n from Altoona on Friday, accom- y Thomas Bell. The party landed or's Mark, Huntingdon county, in and a quarter. The distance travel- irty-six miles.

Matilda J. Hindman, who is not oman on the female suffrage ques- eatens to give Johnstown a lecture n's rights some time during the winter. Miss H. was formerly a ton in that place.

regret to note that our friend and Mr. Jacob Fronheiser, of Johns- suffered the loss of a gold watch, overcoat and a pair of boots, all of steriously disappeared from his a few nights ago.

ty-five head of livery and draught n excellent condition, will be sold ons by Messrs. L. & S. W. Davis, lace, who have no further use for ng to the closing for the season of ir stables at Cresson.

rge black bear weighing over 400 was killed in Logan township, Blair on the mountain above Glen White, Sunday week, by Mr. John Grove, of the luckiest if not one of the est hunters on the Alleghenies.

ng the months of November and r. M. L. Oatman proposes to pay way of change $1,000 in gold and his customers. So bring on your r and save 15 per cent. on the goods and stuff" to jingle in your pocket P. Ryan, of Bedford county, was ly last found guilty in the U. S. rt at Pittsburgh of moving dis- from the distillery warehouse ing the government tax thereon. s been suspended at the instance Attorney.

fellow jumped from the Mail rain, while in motion, near Der- day, to recover his hat, which from his head, and it is safe to he won't try the experiment again. ured, of course, but to what ex- he unable to say.

n named Valentine has been ar- Altoona on the charge of shooting ses and two cows near Blair Fur- Friday last. One of the mares, be- Michael McCullough, died on the morning, but the other mare and cows will recover.

Johnstown *Tribune* says that there erman residing in Woodvale bor- was injured over a year ago in of the Cambria Iron Company, limbs are paralyzed from the hips t. He has no feeling whatever in affected, and it is remarkable that ived so long.

ckson township man is said to have d into very serious trouble, the al- ge against him being for no less a as rape; but as we have not been certain anything definite in regard tter, we forbear giving names, not hot what the rumor may be false. ies are married.

substantial improvements have de in and about Cresson this fall, which we note four new cottages on ain House grounds, two new houses a short distance east of the depot, and a very fine residence pleted on the pike leading to the and not far from Cresson station.

—We have had a foretaste of winter in the shape of snow, hard freezing, and cold, blustry winds, during the present week.

—A young man named Charles Zeigler, while at work at a new school building in West Huntingdon, on Saturday last, was accidentally struck on the head by a brick and knocked headlong into the cellar, a distance of about ten feet. His brain was injured by the blow, and although slowly recovering, his condition is yet deemed critical.

—Michael Dillon, a former resident of Huntingdon, now engaged at coaling on the mountain near Freedom Forge, Mifflin county, took violently ill a few days ago after partaking of some coffee, whereupon he examined his coffee boiler and found a dead copperhead snake coiled up in the bottom of it. How the reptile got there is a mystery.

—Eight persons charged with violating the local option law in Blair county plead guilty before the Court on Tuesday last, three others were found guilty, and three more forfeited their recognizances by failing to put in an oppearance. One man had no less than nine indictments against him, but the District Attorney entered a *nol. pros.* in all but two of them.

—Mrs. Caroline Street, sister of Mr. Geo. Wolff, of this place, died very suddenly of cramp colic at the residence of her father in New Germany, Croyle township, on Monday night last. She was in her usual good health, we believe, up to the very moment of her death. The husband of the deceased, to whom she was married about a year ago, is a leather dealer in Altoona.

—Three dwellings and two stables were destroyed by fire in Huntingdon about 4 o'clock on Wednesday morning last. The houses were owned by Messrs. John Mattern, J. R. Carmon and Andrew Johnston, and the two stables belonged respectively to Mr. Carmon and Mr. Smearman. The total loss is estimated at $10,000, on which there was an insurance of about $6,000.

—The tightness in the money market does not seem to effect the sale of goods at Myers & Lloyd's cheap cash store, for go there when you will, they are always busy as nailors dealing out bargains to delighted customers. But fine goods at fair prices is what attracts buyers in abundance, and that's just what's the matter at Myers & Lloyd's low priced, well filled mercantile mart. Go and see how it is yourself.

—An amateur Nimrod not more than a thousand miles from this place borrowed a new shot-gun from a hardware store the other day, just to try how it would shoot, but as he forgot to say "with your leave" before taking it, one of the clerks went in pursuit of the sportsman and reclaimed the gun before he had time to test its calibre. Of course it was all intended for a joke, and would have been a successful one had ye hardware man been able to see the point.

—A special dispatch to yesterday evening's Johnstown *Tribune* says that the banking houses of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co. in New York, Altoona, Tyrone, Bedford, Latrobe, Greensburg and this place have been forced to suspend, owing to the impossibility of realizing on their securities, and that all the other banks, eleven in number, with which Mr. Lloyd is connected will soon follow suit, if they have not already done so. It is believed that the suspension will be but temporary—a hope which we trust will be fully realized.

—The sacrament of confirmation was administered to one hundred and twenty-two persons, by Rt. Rev. M. Domenec, Bishop of Pittsburg, at St. Mary's and St. Michael's (Catholic) churches, Hollidaysburg, on the 17th inst., and on the following day the same rite was administered to about one hundred more at Gallitzin, this county, after which the Bishop, assisted by Rev. Ryan and Hackett, followed by a large procession of the congregation, proceeded to the new grave-yard, half a mile distant from the church, which he consecrated with the usual ceremonies.

—Come in your majesty, come in your might; come in the morning, come before night; come when you please, come when you can, and bring all the folks if you're a family man, for Spence, we are sure, will be awfully glad to welcome you all, man, matron and lad, not forgetting the lassies, whose pictures he'll take in less time than a lamb its appendage can shake, and do them so cheap that you'll wonder the while that pictures at the price can be made in such style. Gallery in the rear second story of G. G. Owens' building, High street, opposite Johnston, Collins & Co.'s bank.

—Two horses belonging to Mr. Jas. Borlin, of Greensburg, were drowned in the Allegheny river, near Freeport, a few days ago. The horses, which were attached to a heavy wagon, were on their way to the oil regions, and while being taken across the river on a flat-boat the leaders became frightened at some floating drift-wood and jumped into the water, dragging the other horses and the wagon with them, when all four became entangled in the harness and were drowned. The driver was also precipitated into the river, but managed to escape minus his hat. Mr. Borlin estimates his loss at $1,000.

—The door of the Altoona lock-up is minus a knob on the inside, a fact which Messrs. Burley and Howard, policemen of that city, forgot to their great discomfiture about one o'clock on Wednesday morning last. The two worthies named paid a visit to the aforesaid lock-up for the purpose of seeing that a prisoner therein confined was as comfortable as circumstances would permit; but thoughtlessly closing the door upon entering, they found soon after that it was much easier to get in than get out—the latter of which they failed to do until fully an hour had elapsed, when some of the "comps" of the *Morning Tribune*, homeward bound, happened that way and released them from their involuntary confinement.

—A young man named Walker, of Garrett, Somerset county, is the latest victim reported. He was at the Connellsville depot in Pittsburgh last Monday, where he made the casual acquaintance of a pleasing young man and took a walk with him. His companion was suddenly called on by another person to pay a bill, and with the usual preliminaries borrowed $22 from Walker, who was at once asked to run back to the ticket office and watch a trunk marked E. C. Meyers to prevent it being stolen. Walker dilligently obeyed instructions, and waited until a glimmer of the truth came into his brain, when he reported the events at the Mayor's office. Every cent he had in his pocket was gone. The detectives enabled him to reach home. Had the victim been less in the Garrett, and more of a Walker or traveler of some sort, he would have known better than to have bit at such a bait.

—Hon. D. J. Morrell, general manager of the Cambria Iron Works, at Johnstown, has given notice to the employes that the company finds it impossible to make collections for iron sold, or to sell for cash, or to raise money in any other way to make the usual monthly cash payments, and therefore informs those to whom cash balances are now due, that they shall be paid as soon as money can be obtained. He further states that in view of the uncertainty of obtaining orders on any satisfactory basis to keep the works running, it is deemed proper to give notice that "while the company will guarantee to employes all necessary supplies to the extent of their earnings, no regular cash payments need be expected until cash can be obtained for products of the works. Those who are not satisfied to continue work under this arrangement can give due notice, when they will be paid off in full as soon as funds can be secured for the purpose."

—A party of Germans, six in number hailing from Altoona, paid a visit to the coal mines in the vicinity of Gallitzin, on Saturday evening last, where they were set upon by some of the miners, who probably thought that they had come there to displace them in their employment, and two of the number, named Ettinger and Hartranft, were both roughly handled, the former receiving very serious injuries. Subsequently two young men returning from a church fair were attacked by a party of ruffians, one of them receiving a shot through the first finger of his right hand, inflicting a painful wound. These outrages have been charged to the account of an alleged organization styled the "Mollie Maguires," but as we have every reason to believe that no such society exists at Gallitzin, the charge is of course without any foundation in fact. These depredations, like others that have gone before them, have been committed by a few lawless spirits common to all communities, and none we are sure more fully regret or more earnestly denounce such violence than those who by imputation at least might be subject to the suspicion of having participated in them. Let us hear of no more such baseless imputations.

UNAUTHORIZED BOUNTY BONDS.—We present below a summary of an important case from this county heard before the Supreme Court of Pittsburgh on Tuesday:

Henry J. Little and John J. Troxell vs. Sebastian Fry. Error to the Common Pleas Court of Cambria county. Argued by R. L. Johnston for plaintiff in error, and George M. Reade contra. A difficulty existing in filling the draft in Allegheny township, this county, in the fall of 1864. By authority of a legislative act, the School Directors met and agreed to issue bonds and assess a tax for the payment of the same. The President, John J. Troxell, the plaintiff in error, was not present at the meeting. Afterward he was called upon and informed of the resolution of the Board and he signed a number of bonds but never stamped or uttered any. The bond in suit was afterward stamped and uttered by Henry Little, the Secretary, and the funds were applied to payment of a drafted citizen. In 1868, the plaintiff below, S. Fry, called upon the Board at a regular meeting and was informed that the bond would not be paid, as there was no authority for its issue. He afterward brought an action against the Directors before a justice of the peace, on coupon attached to the bond for interest, and on appeal the case was tried. The jury found against the plaintiff in error, when the case was carried to the Supreme Court. It is claimed that Troxell was not a party in this case, either as a citizen or Director, as a new district having been erected in the meantime, of which he was a resident. Decision reserved.

CHASED BY A BEAR.—Michael Fetzer, of Snow Shoe township, Centre county, went out hunting the other day, having with him a couple of dogs that were in for fun and full of expectation and eagerness. Much to Michael's surprise and the discomfiture of the dogs, however, almost the first thing they ran against was a huge bear, which showed fight. Michael shot at and wounded the animal, but did not disable it, and Bruin made an attack upon his assailants so vigorous and rapid that Michael did not get an opportunity to reload his gun and directly found himself in the close hug of the ugly monster. A desperate fight ensued, the hunter using his gun as a club and the dogs straining every muscle to create a diversion in favor of their master. After some time, Mr. Fetzer, badly hugged and hurt, succeeded in tearing himself loose from the bear's embrace and escaped, with his dogs, to safer quarters. Bruin won the battle, but his bearship had better keep himself out of sight, as the hunters of that region are on the alert and a dozen bullets are ready for him as soon as he shows his shaggy hide.—*Watchman.*

DIED FROM INJURIES RECEIVED.—On Friday last, a man named Charles Smith, a brakeman on the Pennsylvania Railroad, was struck by the Johnstown Accommodation at Turtle Creek, Allegheny county, and terribly injured. He had been on the locomotive of a train which was not in motion talking to the engineer and fireman, and stepped down on the track immediately in front of the train that struck him. What is extraordinary about the circumstance is that he got off the locomotive with his face toward the approaching train, his failure to see it in time to get out of the way being inexplicable. The terrible mishap was witnessed by the crews of three or four freights standing by, who unite in pronouncing it one of the most fearful sights they ever witnessed. The injured man was removed to his residence, at Lawrenceville station, where he died the following Sunday. The deceased originally belonged to Cambria county, where his remains were removed for interment on Monday. He was a married man, his wife's parents being residents of Gallitzin.—*Altoona Tribune.*

DISTRESSING AFFAIR.—About 8 o'clock on Monday morning the alarm of fire resounded through our streets and the several companies were promptly in motion. The fire proved to be in the house of H. Ayres, on Union street, and, according to our information, was communicated to a bed in the second story by a stove pipe which passed through the room. At all events, when the fire was discovered the bed was in flames. But the saddest part of the affair is that a sick child, about eighteen months old, was lying on the bed, and, when carried out by those who came to the rescue, was discovered to be dead. It is supposed that the little unfortunate was suffocated by the smoke, although the fire had reached and terribly burned one side of its face. There seems to have been gross carelessness somewhere, but it is presumed the Coroner's inquest will develop all the facts in the case.—*Hollidaysburg Standard.*

DIBERT, WAYNE & CO.—John Dibert, the banker, Harry Wayne, formerly of the firm of Benton & Wayne, and George Dibert, jr., have gone into a wholesale and retail hardware business. The immense room where John Dibert used to sell dry goods and groceries, No. 224 Main street, Johnstown, is fitted up, where they are now selling an immense stock of hardware and cutlery, all new, having been bought in the East only a month ago. They have nails, glass, putty, paints, wood-work for wagons, willow ware, agricultural implements, iron, steel, and indeed everything that one can think of in the hardware line. Two immense signs adorn the front of the building, one above the other. The firm are perfect gentlemen and sound business men. They have large warehouses crammed full of things, from a pistol to a mill-saw. Give them a call.

TRADE WINDS.—Tell me, ye winged winds that round my pathway roar—tell, oh! tell me where, oh! where I'll find the cheapest store? The winds replied and this they said, I never yet in all my trade have had the luck to suit my mind more fully in goods of every kind than at Myers & Lloyd's cheap store complete, whose stock and prices none can beat.

IMPORTANT TO INSURERS.—Insurance placed in companies that have not complied with the laws of the State where the property insured is situated (either by the company direct, or through agents or brokers) cannot, in case of loss, be sued and recovered, in any of the State courts, and the assured is left entirely at the mercy of such companies, and without legal remedy.

The statute of all the States imposes certain conditions upon all insurance companies (chartered by other States) to enable them to obtain authority to transact within the State, and without having first complied with such laws, and obtained the legal authority to do business, all insurance written by them is illegal and void.

The following is an abstract from a recent opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Indiana upon the subject: "As the statute prohibits any foreign insurance company, directly or indirectly, to take risks, or transact any business of insurance in the State, without first procuring legal authority, this includes a prohibition upon any person or corporation (not duly authorized) from acting in any capacity as insurance agents, either by soliciting applications or collecting money upon premiums. A policy issued by an agent in violation of a law, declaring his act to be criminal, has been decided by the Supreme Court to be void, after destruction by fire of the property insured (20th Indiana, P. 220), and in a recent case not yet reported in Indiana, (Hoffman vs. Banks) the general doctrine is confirmed."

This opinion is clear and decisive, and has since been confirmed by judicial decisions in that State (People vs. Plessner), and the principle again recognized by the Kentucky Court of Appeals, and by Judge Davis of the Supreme Court of the United States, presiding in the United States Circuit Court in Indiana, and is now held to be well-settled law.

Insurers may, therefore, well understand that in accepting policies in such companies they are wholly without indemnity against loss, except at the caprice of the companies whose illegal and void policies they hold.

ST. NICHOLAS FOR NOVEMBER.—The first number of the ST. NICHOLAS has just been issued. Pictorially, it is one of the most beautiful magazines in the country, being enriched by designs from the pencils of Miss Hallock, Sol Eytinge, Miss Ledyard, Sheppard, Stephens, Bolles, Beard, and others.

The reading matter is varied and bright. There are thirty-three articles, some for the very little ones, some for the oldest of young people, and some for every age between. We find in its broad, well-printed pages, poems by William Cullen Bryant, Celia Thaxter, Lucy Larcom, and others. There is a capital human-fairy sketch by Rebecca Harding Davis. Donald G. Mitchell contributes a characteristic article, entitled "Who Wrote the Arabian Nights?" and the first chapters of a serial story by Frank R. Stockton are given. A salutatory by the conductor, Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge, is sure to reach the heart of every child-reader—and the hearts of their fathers and mothers as well. Among the stories we find a charmingly-told account of a fairy's visit to a bee-hive, by Annie Moore; an exceedingly funny little story by Margaret Eytinge, and lively tales by Paul Fort and J. S. Stacy. Lucretia P. Hale tells the adventures of a doll; Noah Brooks has a capital article for boys, called "By the Sea," and Olive Thorne talks about a certain "Old-Fashioned Hat."

There are also interesting descriptions of zebras, passenger-pigeons, the curious inhabitants of the Farallone Islands, and the Pinte Indians, besides bright little "Jingles" and a whole page in large type for little children with big eyes. We must not forget to mention as an admirable feature a short story in German, for the benefit of youngsters who are learning that language. A similar French story is announced for the next number. Then "Jack-in-the-Pulpit," a curious fellow who is full of little bits of wit and wisdom, holds forth most entertainingly; and there are capital notices of juvenile books, intended for those who will read the books, and a puzzle department that will certainly sharpen the wits of the youngsters.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The following circular has been issued by the Executive Committee recently appointed by Co. Supt. Chapman to make arrangements for the forthcoming Teachers' Institute, which is to be held in Johnstown, commencing on the 24th of next month:

To.....

The Seventh Annual Meeting of the Cambria County Teachers' Institute will be held in Johnstown, commencing on Monday, the 24th day of November, 1873. The exercises will be varied and interesting, consisting of class-drills, essays, reports, discussions, select readings, lectures, &c. No person will be called upon for any exercise who has not previously consented to appear in the programme. This remark is made, that none need fear being asked to do something for which he or she is not prepared. *Strict reference will be had to the part taken in the Institute, in granting Professional Certificates hereafter.*

Among those who will contribute to the success of the Institute, are Hon. S. G. Boyd, of York, Pa., Prof. T. T. Morrell, Chemist to the Cambria Iron Company. A series of *free evening Lectures*, by the above-named gentlemen will be arranged for the Institute.

Comfortable boarding places will be provided at very moderate rates. For railroad excursion tickets, apply personally or send postage stamp and address to the County Superintendent, at Ebensburg, Pa.

Wednesday, the 26th day of November, will be set apart as "Directors' Day." School directors throughout the county are invited to be present.

The Teachers' Institutes of Cambria County have been heretofore unsurpassed; we trust that all interested will strive to make the approaching one equal to its predecessors in spirit and usefulness.

The undersigned committee solicit your presence at the Institute, and will consider your attendance a personal favor.

MOLLIE R. DAVIS, Teacher Ebensb'g U. Schools,
M. A. SHEPHERD, Teacher Johnst'n U. Schools,
MARY GRIFFIN, Teacher Millville U. Schools,
T. C. MYERS, Teacher Summitville School,
B. B. PATTERSON, Supt. Johnstown U. Schools,
T. J. CHAPMAN, County Superintendent.
Committee.

THE OLDEST TAILOR OF THEM ALL.—Ebensburg lays claim to the oldest tailor—that is to say, the tailor who for the greatest consecutive number of years has followed the business of tailoring—in this or any other State, not excluding Tennessee, where Andy Johnson lives. In a copy of the *Olive Branch and Cambria Record*, published in Ebensburg, and dated December 23, 1819, appears an advertisement whereof the following is a copy:

John Dougherty, Taylor and Habit-Maker, respectfully informs the inhabitants of Ebensburg and its vicinity that he intends to carry on the above business in all its branches in the house lately occupied by John Lloyd, and immediately opposite the printing office. Being well instructed in the new mathematical and compass rule, he hopes by strict attention to merit a share of the public patronage.

That was nearly fifty-four years ago, and Mr. Dougherty had then been engaged in the tailoring business a year or more. He has worked at the same trade uninterruptedly ever since, all the time in Ebensburg with the exception of about one year, and to-day he continues to twirl his goose and ply his needle in the same town. Though eighty years of age, the old gentleman is healthy and hearty, and bids fair to remain in the land of the living for many years to come. Is he not the oldest tailor of them all?—*Altoona Tribune.*

POETRY.—I. T. Coppock is a very safe buyer, and a good judge of goods, whether capes, shawls or hoods, cloaks, dresses or hats, carpets, oil cloths or mats, ribbons, flowers and lace, and even rouge for the face. And Coppock can sell his choice goods very well, because he is kind and speaks out his mind; and all who will try can undoubtedly buy at the Opera Hall, where he invites one and all, to 212, where he has every shelve crammed full of choice winter goods, which will be sold in a trice at a very low price. 212 Main street, Johnstown.

A KISSING SCENE.—"Oh! kiss me and go," said the maid of his heart, as she proffered her lips as his pay to depart; "the morn is approaching, my mother will know, my kindest and dearest, just kiss me and go!" And the smack that he gave her was tarnation loud, as they parted that morning at the steps of the door, and soon the brave "lover" was lost in the crowd that was rushing pell mell to S. J. Hess & Bro.'s cheap clothing store, 141 Main street, Johnstown.

RIGHT ON THE RECORD.—Now and then a rumor reaches the public ear that somebody, generally a resident of the rural districts, has been "taken in and done for" on a sewing machine, or some other labor-saving invention. In a few instances these dishonest dodges have been ventilated through the newspapers, one or two cases having recently been reported, wherein a sewing machine agent is said to have been granted the privilege of leaving machines at certain houses until he would call for them, receiving in return what purported to be an acknowledgment of such fact, duly signed by the proprietors of such houses, but what afterward proved to be exemption notes, payable within a specified time. We say stories of this kind have been told time and again, but whether true or false it is not our purpose now to inquire. We merely wish to say that, if true, Mr. M. L. Brown, of this place, agent for the renowned and unsurpassable Singer Sewing Machine, is *not* the man who did the swindling. He has a machine that can and does recommend itself, and he has come among us to make an honest living in an honest way, and would not resort to any disreputable dodges if a fortune could be made in the operation. We know these statements to be facts, and while we can truthfully say, after an experience of several years in our own family, that the Singer machine is without a superior, we can just as emphatically declare that Mr. Brown is above and beyond a mean or mercenary act of any kind. He believes, as we believe, that no family should do without a sewing machine, and thus believing he offers, on the most liberal terms, a machine that never has and never will fail to give entire satisfaction in every instance, and if the parties whom he solicits do not see fit to purchase that is the end of the transaction. He deals fairly and squarely, and deserves to be dealt with in like manner. Let him be encouraged.

APPLE DUMPLINGS, BAKED.—Three and a half pints of flour, one quart of sweet milk, one tea-spoonful of salt; mix together; then add two measures Banner Baking Powder; take one dozen sour apples, pare and core them whole; grease well with lard one dozen common cups, fill them half full with batter, then place the apples in, fill the cavities in the latter with sugar and a little grated nutmeg, or ground cinnamon; cover with the remainder of the batter; bake about one hour, in a moderately hot oven; if no cups, use a large dish.

Each can of the Banner Baking Powder contains a small measure, to be used even full according to printed directions. If you cannot obtain this really valuable article from your grocer, send twenty-five cents by mail, addressed to Banner Baking Powder, P. O. Lock Box 317, Pittsburgh, Pa., and you will receive, postage paid, a quarter pound package, together with a list of fifty valuable recipes.

PREPARE FOR WINTER.—The present cold snap may not last long, but if you put off buying an overcoat or your supply of warm clothing you may find that winter has come before you are ready for it. Buy in time, then, and buy from James J. Murphy, 109 Clinton street, Johnstown, who has a very complete, a very handsome, and a very cheap stock of winter clothing just now on his shelves, and can please any man's taste and suit any man's purse.

GOOD SUNDAY suits for goood boys, at Oak Hall, Sixth and Morket, Philadelphia. WANAMAKER & BROWN have the largest stock on the Continent.

OBITUARY.

DONAHOE.—Died, at her residence at Portage Station, on the 22d inst., Mrs. MARY DONAHOE, in the 65th year of her age.

GORDON.—Died, in Johnstown, on Monday last, Mrs. MAGDALENE GORDON, aged 85 years and 6 months.

EVANS.—Died, in Johnstown, on Saturday last, ROGER EVANS, aged 72 years.

NOTICE.—I have this day bought from ROMAN EBIG, of Carrolltown borough, the following property, which I have left with him and for his use until further notice; 1 cow, 1 hog, 1 bureau, 1 table, 1 stand, 6 chairs, 1 cooking stove, 1 heating stove, 2 bedsteads and bedding, 1 cupboard, 1 sink, 1 clock, and a set of dishes. I hereby warn all persons against meddling or in any way interfering with said property. PETER STOLTZ.
Barr Twp., Cambria Co., Oct. 18, 1873.—31-3t.*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of MARY DONAHOE, dec'd.
Letters of Administration on the estate of MARY DONAHOE, late of Washington township, Cambria county, have been granted to the undersigned, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.
THOMAS DONAHOE, Adm'r.
Washington Twp., Oct. 31, 1873.-6t.*

ESTATE OF PAT'K DONAHOE, DEC'D.—Letters of Administration on the estate of PATRICK DONAHOE, late of Allegheny township, Cambria county, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified that payment must be made without delay, and those having claims will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
SUSANNA H. DONAHOE, } Adm'rs.
ALFRED P. DONAHOE, }
Allegheny Twp., Oct. 31, 1873.-6t.*

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria county to report distribution of the money in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of the defendant's real estate in the case of Richard H. Tudor vs. Evan E. Evans, No. 71, September Term, E. D., *Vend. Expon.*, notice is hereby given to all parties interested that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office with the Recorder of Deeds, &c., in Ebensburg, on MONDAY, the 17th day of NOVEMBER, A. D. 1873, at 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., when and where they may present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. J. GALLITZIN LAKE.
Ebensburg, Oct. 31, 1873.-3t.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.—TO ROBERT DONALDSON, one of the heirs and legal representatives of EDWARD DONALDSON, late of Washington township, Cambria county, deceased:
Take notice that an Inquisition will be held at the late dwelling house of Edward Donaldson, late of Washington township, Cambria county, Pennsylvania, deceased, on FRIDAY, the 14th DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1873, AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M., for the purpose of making partition of the real estate of said deceased to and among his children and legal representatives, if the same can be done without prejudice to or spoiling the whole; otherwise to value and appraise the same—at which time and place you are requested to attend if you think proper.
W. B. BONACKER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Oct. 28, 1873.

Trustee's SALE!

BY virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to me directed, there will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises in Blacklick township, on

FRIDAY, November 1st, 1873,
AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

by public vendue or outcery, the following described Real Estate, of which ABRAHAM C. MAKIN, late of said township, died seized, to-wit:

All that certain Piece or Parcel of Land

situate in the Township of Blacklick, County of Cambria, State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a hemlock on line of tract George Slough, south 26½ degrees, west 150 perches, more or less, to a hemlock; thence north 64 degrees, west 167 perches, to a post; thence north 26¾ degrees, east 150 perches, to a beech (down); thence south 64 degrees, east 167 perches, to the place of beginning—containing

150 ACRES,

with the usual allowance of six per cent. for roads—85 ACRES of which are cleared—having thereon erected a two-story PLANK HOUSE and a small LOG STABLE.

TERMS OF SALE.—The costs incident to partition and sale to be paid on confirmation of sale; two-thirds of the balance of the purchase money to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives of the said deceased, or the parties entitled thereto, in one year thereafter, with interest; and the remaining third to remain as a lien on the premises until the death of Elizabeth Wilson, late Elizabeth Slaffin, widow of said deceased, the interest whereof to be paid annually and punctually to her during her lifetime, and at her death the said remaining third to be paid to the heirs and legal representatives aforesaid, or the persons then legally entitled to the same—the purchaser to enter into recognizance in the Orphans' Court, with sufficient surety, to be approved of by the said Court, for the payment of the purchase money aforesaid.
Oct. 31-3t. W. B. BONACKER, Trustee.

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The cost of slating new shingles is only about the cost of simply laying them, and the slate is fire-proof against sparks and live coals falling upon it, as may be easily tested by any one, and as appears from the fact that Insurance companies make the same tariff that they do for slated roof.

For tin and iron it has no equal, as it expands by heat and contracts by cold, and never cracks or scales. For Cemetery fences it is particularly adapted. The Slate or Paint is EXTREMELY CHEAP. Two gallons will cover a hundred square feet of shingle roof, or over four hundred of tin or iron. Price of the Slate ready for use is 80 cents per gallon, $16 per half barrel, or $30 per barrel of about 40 gallons, freight from New York added. We furnish and apply the material for $2.50 per 100 square feet, freight added.

The Paint has a very heavy body, but is easily applied with a 4 or 6 inch coloring brush. On old and rotten shingles it fills up the holes and pores, hardens them, and gives a new and substantial roof that will last for years. On curled or warped shingles, it brings them to their place and keeps them there. It fills up the holes in tin or felting roofs and stops the leak. One coat is equal to ten of ordinary paint. The color of the slate when first applied is of a dark purple; in about a month it changes to a light uniform slate color, and is, to all intents and purposes, slate. It is a slow dryer, but rain will not affect it in the least one hour after it is put on.

Samples sent to any part of the country by express, C. O. D. If ordered to be sent by freight, the money must accompany the order.

Orders respectfully solicited. Address,
R. J. WIESTLING, Middletown, Pa., or
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ESTATE OF JANE WHERRY, DEC'D.—AUDITOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans' Court of Cambria County to hear and decide on exceptions to the account of Geo. J. Rodgers and William Kittell, Executors of the last will and testament of Jane Wherry, late of the Borough of Ebensburg, County of Cambria, deceased, hereby notifies all persons interested that he will attend to the duties of his appointment, at his office in Ebensburg, on FRIDAY, NOV. 14TH, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where they must attend and present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. JAMES NULL, Auditor.
Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Auditor by the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County, to report distribution of the money in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale of defendant's real estate, in the case of George Wehn, sr., vs. Mary Constable and Alfred Constable, No. 75, September Term, 1873, Ex. Doc., *Vraditioni Exponas*, notice is hereby given to all parties interested, that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office in Ebensburg, on WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19th, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where they must present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund.
GEO. W. OATMAN, Auditor.
Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-3t.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE!—Having been appointed Auditor by the Orphans' Court of Cambria county, to report distribution of the funds in the hands of Jane Mullen, (now intermarried with C. Lahey,) Administratrix of the estate of John Mullen, late of Washington township, deceased, as shown by her second and final account, all parties interested are hereby notified that I will attend to the duties of said appointment, at my office in Ebensburg, on THURSDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., when and where they must present their claims, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. GEO. W. OATMAN, Auditor.
Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-3t.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE!—SARAH ANN TURNER, by her next friend, SAMUEL TREES, vs. SAMUEL TURNER—Common Pleas of Cambria County, No. 58, March Term, 1873.—*Libel in Divorce.*
Oct. 24, 1873, the Court appoint W. HORACE ROSE, Esq., a Commissioner to take testimony in this case. From the Record.
Notice is hereby given, that, pursuant to the above appointment, I will sit at my office, in the Borough of Johnstown, on WEDNESDAY, NOV. 19th, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., at which time all parties interested can attend if they see proper. W. HORACE ROSE,
Johnstown, Oct. 22, 1873. Commissioner.

NOTICE.—IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY—SARAH ANN TURNER, by her next friend, SAM'L TREES, vs. SAMUEL TURNER—No. 58, March Term, 1873, —*Pluries Subpœna in Divorce.*
To the respondent above named: You are hereby required to appear at a Court of Common Pleas to be held at Ebensburg, for the County of Cambria, on the first Monday of December next, to answer the complaint of the libellant in the above stated case.
W. B. BONACKER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Ebensburg, Oct. 20, 1873.-4t.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.
Estate of WM. CALLAN, dec'd.
Letters Testamentary to the estate of WILLIAM CALLAN, late of Washington township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned by the Register of said county, all persons indebted are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims against the same will present them duly authenticated for settlement.
ELLEN J. CALLAN, }
10-24.-6t. JNO. E. SCANLAN, } Executors.

DISSOLUTION.—The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Marble manufacturing business was dissolved by mutual consent September 15th, 1873. The books and accounts are now in the hands of B. Kelly, who will hereafter conduct the business in his own name.
B. KELLY.
JAMES BRENNAMAN.
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An Aboriginal Irishman.

A writer of "English Sketches" in the *Catholic World* for November tells a curious anecdote, which was related to him many years ago by a priest to whom it occurred. This priest went on a mission to America, and for some years his labors lay in the wild regions of the far West. The missionary led pretty much the life of the children of the virgin forests that he traversed, and where the footprint of the white man was never seen. He rode for miles and miles through the wilderness, feeding, like the anchorites, on what he could gather by the way, and sleeping in the branches of some thick foliaged tree, to the trunk of which he tied his horse; and at daybreak he was off on his rambles again. One morning, as he was riding thro' a wood in search of food, he descried a little wreath of smoke curling above the trees. He made for the spot, thinking he had come on a field of labor in the shape of a little colony to be baptized; but, on approaching, he found only a single wigwam, at the door of which a wild woman was squatting with a brood of small children about her. The good father was exhausted with hunger, and managed, by signs and a few words of the Indian dialect, to convey this fact to the woman. She rose at once, and placed before him her frugal store. While he was doing justice to it, the lord of the wigwam returned, and great was his amazement to behold the guest whom his lady was hospitably ministering to. The priest was trying to air his small store of words, when his host, who was attired in the scanty costume of his tribe, with a plentiful crop of feathers sprouting from his head-gear, after surveying him silently for a moment, exclaimed, "Your reverence is a Catholic priest, I'll be bound, and an Irishman into the bargain!" His listener nearly capsized with astonishment. But it was neither a vision nor a delusion. The wild Indian was himself an Irishman, who, with two older companions, had come to those remote forests many years before in search of fortune in some form or other; the trio had been captured by the Indians, who put two of them to death, and only spared the youngest on account of his expertness with the bow and arrow and other kindred accomplishments which made him useful to the tribe. He learned in time to speak their language and adopt their mode of life, even to the extent of marrying a wild woman of their race. But the faith of his childhood survived amongst the vicissitudes of this strange career. He welcomed the priest with joy and the reverence of a genuine Irish heart; and before the missionary left his wigwam, he received the wife into the church, married the pair, baptized and instructed the children, and administered the sacraments to the father. Then he sallied forth once more on his life of danger and self-sacrifice, which, though it afforded many consoling and romantic episodes, never furnished such another as this. "Now," exclaimed Canon R——, triumphantly, "just tell me if such an adventure as that could happen to any two men under the sun except a pair of Irishmen!" And no one contradicted him.

GINGER-SNAPS.—When you see others laughing at something you have said, try and find out whether they really think you are smart, or only a fool.

You cannot make a success of yourself without hard work, any more than you can put up a stove without wishing that swearing was not sinful.

A friend of mine hit upon an ingenious expedient to suppress his neighbor's dog, which made a business of howling and barking when honest people wanted to sleep. He buried a dozen very small fish-hooks in a piece of raw beef, tied a string to the tempting morsel, and lowered it down the partition fence into the yard. During the night that dog lost his voice, and his owner lost his dog.

When you see a man so poor he can hardly stand alone, be sure and help him—fall down.

I never believed there was a talking mountain in Colorado till I went there. While in Denver I actually saw Pike's Peak.

There is nothing like having confidence—when buying city milk, or signing a document which you have never read.

The most liberal man I ever knew was a public lecturer. On opening a course of lectures in Salt Lake City, he presented Brigham Young with a season ticket for himself and family.

Speaking of that generous lecturer reminds me of another remarkably liberal man who lives in Illinois. During the recent war, he donated not less than three hundred thousand dollars to the Government, to help put down the rebellion. He did not give that amount in money exactly, nor in army supplies, but in advice.

Nature always knows her business, and she never meddles with other people's. In this latter respect she differs from many other folks whom I could name.

When I see a modern tattler, I always think it a pity he had not been created without any brains. As an idiot he might have been a harmless success. As an intelligent being, he is the vilest failure imaginable.

I once knew two lawyers who bore the same name and practiced in the same town. Whenever one of them received a letter containing money, he knew he was himself; but when either one happened to be bombarded with a lot of unpaid bills, he felt willing to swear that he was the other man.

TO MILK a kicking cow—stand off about eight feet and yell, "So! you darned old skinflint."

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GEORGE HUNTLEY.
Ebensburg, July 25, 1873.-tf.

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VALLIE LUTRINGER.
Ebensburg, Oct. 13, 1870.-tf.

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Parties wishing to purchase, rent, sell or exchange real estate will find it greatly to their advantage to call on or address me.
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SHOEMAKER & SECHLER,
Attorneys-at-Law,
[9-16.] EBENSBURG, CAMBRIA CO., PA. [tf.]

GEO. M. READE, *Attorney-at-Law*, Ebensburg, Pa. Office on Centre street, third door from High street. [aug.27.]

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WILLIAM KITTELL, *Attorney-at-Law*, Ebensburg, Pa. Office in Colonnade Row, Centre street. [1-20.-tf.]

Getting Ready for the Trip.

The man across the way is in this week, visiting his uncle took his wife and boy with left on the 9:45 A. M. train. nothing very remarkable about the preparation and the getting so extremely natural that we would speak of it. The night before stayed up until 12 o'clock getting thing in readiness, and as the to leave at 9:45 they got up at wife got up first, and looked out see if it was going to rain, and sure it was, and as it was too dark hour to distinguish objects you touch, it was extremely probable was right. While she prepared fast he sat on the edge of the bed deavored to dress the progeny succeeding, owing to a great the eyes, getting the boy's pants boy's legs, he gave up the effort to dressing himself. After breaking which he dropped asleep and over a cup of coffee, he looked window, and concluded it would and immediately looked out of window, and expressed a belief about to clear off again. Pretty went down street to secure a came back again to wait for it. about 8 o'clock.

At a quarter past eight he ask us if we thought it would ty minutes past he asked the door what he thought of the twenty-five minutes past he opinion of a little girl on the and at half-past eight he was everybody on the topic. About his wife, having twice repaired and twice redressed the progeny on her redingote and jockey, boquet in one hand and a satchel in the other, took up a position lor to wait for the hack, which one hour and ten minutes, city ter sitting there in a calm and titude for eleven seconds, she and came over to ask our wife if the back breadth was not a The lady consulted at once made examination of the back breadth, briefly able to make the announcement that the back breadth a bit too full. With her suspicions the wife of the man across the home, reaching there just in time cue the progeny from a tub of into which he had promptly fallen, covering that he was about dressed at once. (Some people have emptied that water entirely ing, and set fire to the tub to not live across the way.) At 9 o'clock, and three quarters before the train was to start, it sonable to expect the arrival of man, and the advent of that would accordingly watched for. The man up his station at the gate and corner, and between those two moved with commendable wife took advantage of the lull over and ask our wife if she knew thing like it, which that lady tiously admitted she hadn't. first lady put her head out of the and looked down the street, but indication of the hackman. band if the man had come yet. seconds later she ran her head and asked him where the people He didn't know, and as it was necessary that he should keep tween the gate and the corner man ever came, there were no do but to go after progeny herself she did. He was in the back ning in connection with another double-barrelled bakery, and was ing an order for five mud pies, mother lighted upon him. He the house was in much less time boy could reasonably expect to the time he had got into the first suit, the hackman came, and in front of the house, as also did of the entire neighborhood. The of the hack was the signal for complete confusion. The progeny poked into the carriage by his immediately pulled out again by er, who cuffed him on the ear, asked him what he meant. on the children laughed, and turned his eyes on his nose, and there. After the family was the baggage aboard, the man commenced to think of the things hind, and the next five minutes ployed in recovering those articles ly the hack drove off, the women ing that something was forgot firmly asserting that nobody away at such short notice, and pared, as she was obliged to of the children who failed to hind, as the hack drove away, ing the more successful ones that they could think of in a hurry men of the neighborhood moved their blinds, where they had been for the last half hour, and came to exchange opinions over the fence. *bury News.*

A DREADFUL STORY.—A small sent to an exchange the following ation: "A fu days ago we lost She got drowned in Mr. ——'s body knowd she got drowned in and so Mr. ——'s fokes and fokes, and all the nabors besides outen the well just the salm. more'n they evir did afore I guess the water tastid so swete. I well for water tother da and I went in 2 the well. She was ded. afloatin a round drownded. Me —— fisht her out with a hook she smelt orful. But the nabors drink enny more watir outen the What I kant understand is what watir wen the cat is out than we in. I think so. ures trooly. is A tru fackt."